

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Prayer and Preaching

September 18, 2022

Opening Hymn:	“Rock of Ages” 761
Hymn:	“Thy Strong Word” 578
Sermon Hymn:	“Seek Ye First” 712
Hymn:	“Lamb of God” 550
Parting Hymn:	“Crown Him with Many Crowns” 525

Title: Faithful Stewards

Text: Luke 16: 1 -15

Presiding: Earl Gebhardt

Church Office: (306) 934-1011

Office hours: Tues. and Thurs. 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Email: pastor.rod@protonmail.com

Thank you:

Music:

Altar Guild September:

Doreen Kozmyk
and Jennifer Kowalchuk

Yard care for weeks of
September 19 to October 1, 2022

Parker MacDonald

Holy Communion

We believe that worthy participation in Holy Communion requires repentance, faith in Jesus Christ as one’s Saviour, and an earnest desire to amend one’s sinful life, as well as accepting the Scriptural teaching regarding the real presence of Christ with His body and blood in the Sacrament. “This do in remembrance of me” (Luke 22:19).

We are asking our members to now register with the usher upon your arrival at church regarding Holy Communion.



News & Notes

Thank you to Earl Gebhardt for leading us in service this morning!

Confirmation begins tomorrow at 4:00pm! There are extra materials available if you have not signed up yet!

Pastor Rod is away September 16th - 18th to officiate a wedding. If you need pastoral care in the hospital please call the Lutheran Chaplain @ 306.229.1663. Thanks to Earl Gebhardt for leading service on the 18th.

Monday night book study will begin on September 26th @ 7:00pm. If you would like a copy of God's Battalions ordered for you please speak to Pastor Rod.

The Chaplain at the Regional Psychiatric Center has contacted us with a one-time request for coffee that he uses as a way to speak with inmates. They require 920 gram containers of fine grind coffee. If you wish to donate to this cause leave your coffee containers on the counter in the kitchen by the end of September and I will see that they are delivered. -Brenda Fry

Sunday morning Bible study will begin on October 2nd @ 9:00am and will be based on Luther's lectures of Hosea.

The Parish Planning Council is very pleased to announce the appointments to Council of Doreen Kozmyk as Treasurer and Earl Gebhardt as Chair of the Board of Stewardship. A very big thank you to both Doreen and Earl for stepping forward and taking on the responsibilities for these two positions.

Mark October 16 on your calendars! We will be recognizing and celebrating Pastor Parker's 10th anniversary since his ordination and his 10 years of service as our Pastor at Grace. Our thanks to Karen Swift who volunteered to head up the celebration. If you are able to assist Karen in the planning and organizing of the celebration, please speak to her directly. More details will be available in the next few weeks!

On October 29th St. John's Warman will be hosting the Lutheran Hour Ministries/Lutheran Layman's League presentation on Households of Faith. This event will run from 1pm - 5pm. There is no cost to attend, and is a great opportunity about how to support our faith in our own homes.

Getting to know everyone! If you would like to submit a small personal/family background to the bulletin starting in September please submit those to Donna. We want to foster as much community as we can here at Grace!

There are videos uploaded at our YouTube channel
<https://youtu.be/EoalG15hluo>

Readings for September 25, 2022

Old Testament Reading: Amos 6:1-7; Epistle: 1 Timothy 3:1-13;
Holy Gospel: Luke 16:19–31; Psalm of the Day: Psalm 146

MISSION PRAYERS



Deaconess Ek Samean [Sam-e-ahn] currently serves as bible teacher for the youth and Sunday school in the church in Prey Vey Province. Currently Deaconess Samean is studying at the Luther Institute for Southeast Asia.

Prayer: Heavenly Father, since Your Son has saved the world through His holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death and sent forth His Church to proclaim the Good News of this salvation to the ends of the earth and to distribute His saving gifts of grace, we pray that You would sustain Deaconess Samean by Your Spirit and richly bless her labours for the sake of the Gospel; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now forever.

C: Amen

Life Thoughts: <https://lutheransforlife.org/resources/life-thoughts/>
– Financial concerns often serve as justifications for abortion and assisted suicide. The Word of the Lord elevates the value of a person far above that of any money or comfort (Luke 16:9; 1 Timothy 2:4). Does it even count as sacrifice if we must give up prosperity or property to gain and sustain a person in surprise pregnancy or terminal diagnosis? Aren't we always getting the better end of the exchange? The Gospel guarantees it!

Mission Board Project #1

Missions would like to challenge the congregation to fill our Food Bank barrel every 1-2 months. **THE FOOD BANK SERVES CLOSE TO 500 PEOPLE EVERY DAY!!** See the yellow slip for specific needs.

Thank you. -Brenda Fry, Missions Board Chair

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“Take This Personally”

Jesus wants us to take His Word seriously, not as a personal attack but as a word of warning—and promise.

(Luke 16:19-31)

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Listen at 7 a.m. on CJWW 600 AM.
7:30 a.m. on CKRM 620 AM; 9
a.m. on CJGX 940 AM. 1 p.m. on
CKSW 570 AM.



Sunday, September 18th 2022

10:00 am 15th Sunday after
Pentecost

2:30 pm New Covenant
Church

Monday, September 19th, 2022

4:00 pm Confirmation

Tuesday, September 20th, 2022

9:15-11:15 am Preschool

Thursday, September 22nd, 2022

9:15-11:15 am Preschool

Saturday, September 24th , 2022

10:00 am N.A. Meeting

Sunday, September 25th, 2022

10:00 am 16th Sunday after
Pentecost

2:30-5:00 pm New Covenant
Church

Reminder that news and announcements must be in by Thursday at 11:00 a.m. to be in the following Sunday's Bulletin. News and announcements for the Website, must also be by this time. *If you have news you would like posted in the bulletin, please contact Donna Clarke during her office hours (Tues. & Thurs. 10 am-1 pm or email her at gracelutheranchurch@shaw.ca or at donnaclarke010@gmail.com*